

REMARKS

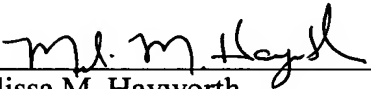
Claims 1 8, 22-39, 41-42 and 48-63 are pending and have been allowed. By way of the present amendment, claim 54 has been amended to correct a typographical error in claim dependency; as such, claim 54 has been amended to depend from *claim 53*, rather than claim 6. Applicants note that, as included herein, claims 22, 37, 41 and 56 reflect the Examiner's Amendment included with the Notice of Allowability dated July 26, 2005.

Entry of the present amendments is requested merely to address formal matters. By the present amendment, no new issues are presented for the Examiner's consideration. Accordingly, entry of the amendment, as being directed to formal matters without changing the scope of the claims, is respectfully requested.

The Examiner is invited to contact the undersigned at the below-listed telephone number, if it is believed that issuance of this application may be assisted thereby. In the event any further fees are due to maintain pendency of this application, the Examiner is authorized to charge such fees to Deposit Account No. 02-4800.

Respectfully submitted,

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